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TITLE OF INVENTION: NROM MEMORY DEVICE WITH A HIGH-PERMITTIVITY GATE DIELECTRIC FORMED BY THE LOW TEMPERATURE OXIDATION OF METALS

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